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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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Date of Interview: 18 April 2008.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: Proposed claim 33.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Newly proposed claim 33 appears to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph. Newly proposed claim 33 appears to be a combination claim and should include all the details of the subcombination claim 32 to avoid restriction practices.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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